"PLL TEAR UP TRACK" A Sure Cure for the Discontented Wife.

So Witness Declares Before Senate Rail Strike Committee.

Rail Strike Committee.

That Clarence P. King, president of the Washington Railway and Electric Company, stated he would tear up the tracks of the company before he would recognize the union was the statement of Samuel G. Reilly, a striking conductor, before the Senate Investigating Committee yesterday afternoon.

Reilly testified that the statement was made on March 16, at the time that he was urged to sign the individual contract. He refused to sign the highly state of the company's testimony remained and their swidence will be taken, arguments made and the hearing closed at the seasion which begins today at 9:30 o'clock.

Against the company's objection the Amaigamated introduced statistics from ninety cities, showing wages paid and the aggregate amount in ten years which individual empioyes earned, over the amount paid by the Washington Railway and Electric Company in the same period. The committee ruled that the company could introduce any statistics it might have that would impeach the truthfulness of those introduced by the Amaigamated, assumed responsibility for the pamphlets circu-

truthfulness of those introduced by the Amaigamated.
Attorney James H. Vahey, counsel for the Amaigamated, assumed responsibility for the paniphlets circulated amon, members of Congress telling of strike conditions. He said he told Senators that Fresident King had wilfully deceived the men in order to delay the strike over inauguration. "I told them," said Vahey, "that I didn't think he should be permitted to get away with it and that Congress had the power to adjust things to prevent a recurrence of such conditions.

Just things to prevent a recurrence of such conditions.

Questioned as to his compensation, Attorney Vahey and: "I have as yet got nothing and I cannot say what my fee will be. I expect something."

Books of the Amalgamated showed that the organization of street car men had expended \$223,000 in six months up to February 1 in cities where there were industrial disputes between the union and traction companies, and about \$86,000 for general expenses.

Francis O'Brien, of Philadelphin, will preside at the initial performance on the new pipe organ which has been placed in the local lodge of Elks' Home tonight.

Nonsupport Charges

Against Eight Husbands

Martin O. Crehan. Ambrose R. Thompson. Thompso J. Fryer, James F. McGuire, William L. Smith, William Robinson, Cutler Colbert and Charles W. Jernaquin, all alleged recreant husbands, were indicted yesterday by the grand jury for nonsupport of their wives or children.

Three additional charges of illegal morphine selling were made in indictments returned against Dr. William O. Wetmore. Jerre Sullivan, colored, was charged with criminally assaulting two little girls. Others indicted and tho charges against them are: Louis Zerega, David Manley, Richard Smith, William G. Kidd, Raymond Barrows and Raymond Hager housebreaking: John H. Flaherry grand larceny; Benjamin Johnson robbery, and James A. Kelly, forsers.

Dr. Ferdinand King, New York Physician and Medical Author, Says:

EVERY WOMAN EVERY MOTHER **EVERY DAUGHTER** NEEDS IRON AT TIMES

To Put Strength Into Her Nerves



WAS KING'S THREAT | By Donothy Dix, The World's Highest Paid Woman Writer.

The world is full of women who have drawn the capital prize in life, but who are too stupid even to return thanks to heaven for their luck. They have good husbands, good homes, good children, good clothee, and yet they are discontented and disgruntled, and always sighing for some intangible, unattainable career that they think they have missed by getting married.

For at the bottom of almost every woman's discontent with her lot, her dissatisfaction with her husband, and her distaste for domesticity, lies the secret belief that the only reason that she isn't world famous is because she permitted some man to lead her to the altar, instead of her soing in for art, or literature, or the stage, or finance.

That's the reason she is such a frizzie and failure as a wife, and mother, and housekeeper.

You couldn't expect a woman who is dead sure she is an embyro Hetty Green to treaf a husband who is a \$20-a-week clerk with much respect. You couldn't look for a woman who is certain she could write novels like Ellen Giangow's, or poetry like Theodosia Garrison's if she had turned her attention to it, to devote her great mind to keeping the baby's milk bottle clean.

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It would be absurd to suppose that a lady who felt that her real mission in life was to play Lady Macbeth could come down off of her pedestal long enough to sweep under the bed, and see that the food is decently cooked.

It is a great pity that these women who think of themselves as awful sacrifices to matrimony, couldn't have gone up good and hard against that career theory before they married. That would have knecked it out of their systems once and for all, and shown them how lucky the woman is who has a settled home, and a good husky man to stand between her and the world.

If every woman had tried to support herself, if she had burned into her memory the weariness of long days in which she had stood with an aching back, and tired feet behind the counter, or had pounded through the blinding mists of a headach, hour after hour, upon a typewriter; if she could recall the thousand indignities to which every woman who has to work out of her own home is subjected; if she had but to shut her eyes to see again the miserable hail bedroom, and the greasy table of a fourth rat boarding house, and feel once more the cold dread of losing her job and not being able to afford even that poor sheiter-there would be fewer discontented, complaining, critical wives in the world.

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months.

The woman would find that careers, even real carsers that crown real talent, are won by such blood and sweat, by such agony and travall as she has never dreamed existed in the world. Let her measure her little gift against real genius, let her meet snubs and ridicule and brutally frank criticism. let her know the weariness of waiting in theatrical offices for hours, let her find out by experience the bitter disappointment of seeing her manuscripts come back time after time, and you will slay the silly ambition microbe that has been eating her beyond the possibility of resurrection.

And wife will return not only cured of her career craze, but with some appreciation of the husband who has solved the Sread and butter problem that she could not solve, and she will be filled with gratitude to the man who stands between her and the struggle that she has seen so many other women trying futilely to make.

No woman ever learns anything except by experience, and the way to cure the discontented wife is to let her try the thing she yearns to do and find out how it works out in real life.

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Lunch in Our Restaurant.

Refined surroundings, Delightful service, Fine menu. For immediate service use the Steam Table.

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REMNANT DAY

In the lists following we give exactly the price at which the goods have been selling and the prices which they bear today. The savings are well worth your inspection. Of course there are many items throughout the store that cannot be enumerated; in these, too, there is splendid choice. There is only one stipulation that we make in connection with our Remnant Day sales: We cannot accept local phone or mail orders, nor can we send any of the items C. O. D. or on approval.

REMNANT DAY

Annual June or Vacation Sale of WOMEN'S UNDERMUSLINS At the Special Price, 58c Garment

In all the years that we have been holding these Annual June Sales of Undermuslins we have never had cause to feel so thoroughly gratified with the splendid qualities and the really remarkable values. It is a collection that includes practically everything in undermuslins that a woman could want for summertime wear.

They are staple styles, useful at all times, and women will make no mistake in laying in very large quantities for future use.

It is the last sale of undermuslins at this price that we will hold until January, 1918.

Pink Batiste Gowns, low neck and short sleeves, 58c.

Nainsook Gowns, low neck and short sleeves; made in many pretty styles and neatly trimmed; some empire effects, 58c. Gowns of cambric and muslin, high and ve neck with long sleeves; embroidery trim-

med, 58c. Combinations (corset cover and short skirt and corset cover and closed or open drawers), straight or circular cut, trim-med with good lace or embroidery, 58c. Long Petticoats of sateen, double panel, finished with scalloping, 58c.

Short Petticoats, of muslin, trimmed with fine lace or embroidery, 58c.

Long Cambric Petticoats, with deep flounce and embroidery ruffles, 58c. Envelope Chemises, soft nainsook, dainty lace and embroidery trimming, 58c.

Corset Covers, of cambric and nainsook, loose, and fitted styles, prettily trimmed, some with short cap sleeves, 58c.

Drawers—Cambric and nainsook, in straight and circular styles, closed and open, with fine lace or embroidery ruffling, 58c.

Our Usual Friday Sale of White Tailored Skirts At the Low Price of \$1.00

Models that are far better than those usually offered in \$1.00 skirts; very good quality materials-rep, gabardine and linene, all with separate belts and several styles of pockets. They are well fitting and splendidly tailored. Sizes 25 to 30 regular and 31 to 36 large. Special price, \$1.00 each.

An Important Friday Sale of Women's Summer Hose.

Lot 1-43 dozen pairs Women's Pure Silk Hose, in black, white and a good range of fashionable colors. These are woven with the lisle thread garter tops and soles; some are irregular in weave and some have soiled spots. The value is one of the very best we have ever placed before our patrons.

Special price, 75c pair.

Lot 2-22 dozen pairs Women's Silk Lisle Hose, in white and black; irregular in weave and soiled. You will recognize the quality as one of the best.

Special price, 35c pair.

Friday Clearance of Tailored Hats and Colored Sport Hats.

Choice, \$3.00. Were \$6.00 and \$8.00.

A splendid assortment in all the desirable colors of the season. Variedness of styles and models that will afford excellent selection.

FLOWERS, 25c bunch; formerly \$1.00.

Roses, for-get-me-nots, field flowers and many others that are just now in demand; odd and small lots that we desire to close out quickly.

Final Clearance of PURE FOODS In the Closing Out Sale.

So great has been the response to our announcements that the stocks have now narrowed down to small and odd assortments, but the values are none the less. The following are available today at special prices:

Maraschino Cherries, Spices, Extracts, Grape Juice, Ginger Ale, Asparagus, full length at a s, Mincemeat, Dates, Alfalfa Meal, Colonial Vinegar, Tea in desirable blends. Fifth floor-Tenth street.

Boys' Department.

Third floor-Elerenth street.

3 dozen Middy Blouses, in all white and white with blue collar and cuffs; sizes 4 to 10 years. Reduced to \$1.00 each. 14 Blue Serge Suits; sizes 16, 17 and 18 only. Reduced to \$3.95 each.

Women's Suit Dept.

9 Women's Wool Suits, plain and belted coats; skirts have plain fronts and sport pockets, gathered back. Colors, tan, gold, mustard, gray and green. Sizes 34 to 42. \$14.75 each; were \$29.50.

2 Wool Jersey Slip-over Sports Suits, belted model, trimmed with white collar and belt; plain skirts with gathered back; size 38. \$14.75 each; were \$29.50. I Mustard Wool Jersey Suit, belted coat, with plain back and pockets; plain gathered

skirt; size 38. \$14.75; was \$29.50. r Light Gray Wool Jersey Suit, belted coat with large square collar and sport pockets; skirt with plain front and gathered back; size 38. \$14.75; was \$29.50.

Women's Shoe Dept.

19 pairs Women's Cascade Pumps; bronze kidskin vamp with ivory quarters; hand-turn sole and wood Spanish heel; sizes, A. 5, 5½, 6 and 7; B, 3, 3½, 4, 4½ and 6½; C, 4, 4½, 5½ and 6.

13 pairs Women's Lucille Pumps; ivory kidskin; made with large tongue; hand-turn sole and French Louis heel; sizes, A, 5½; B, 3½, 4½, 5 and 5½; C, 4, 4½ and 5.

16 pairs Champagne Lucille Pumps, with large tongue; hand-turn sole and French Louis heel; sizes A. 4, 4½ and 6; B. 3½, 4, 4½, 5, 5½ and 6; C. 3½, 4, 5, 5½ and 6.

\$3.75 pair.

Friday Sale of W. & L. Special Corsets.

In two splendid models, cool and comfortable for summer wear. One of pink batiste, lightly boned, with elastic at waist line; the other of white batiste, low in bust, with long hip and not heavily boned. Sizes 20 to 26. An exceptional value.

Special price, \$1.00 pair.

Friday Special in Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests.

Forty dozen Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests; low neck, with narrow shoulder straps. An extra good value.

21c each. 5 for \$1.00.

Friday Special in Valenciennes Laces.

A splendid assortment of Edges and Insertions; some in matched patterns, widths ranging from 3/4 to 2 inches. Good quality, white, round mesh that is exceptoinally desirable for so many trimming needs just at this time.

Specially priced, 60c dozen yards.

Friday Special in Huckaback Towels.

These are what are termed as "seconds," being subject to slight imperfections, of such a character, however, that their serviceableness is not affected. For that reason only are we able to offer them at this low price. Sold only by the dozen.

200 doz. Size 18x38 inches. \$1.80 and \$1.95 dozen.

(11/2 to 5-yard lengths.) Cotton Dress Goods Dept.

18e 32-inch Ginghams, 15c yard.
20c 36-inch Percale, 15c yard.
25c 38-inch Printed Voiles, 20c yard.
28c 38-inch Printed Voiles, 20c yard.
30c 38-inch Plain Voiles, 20c yard.
30c 32-inch Zephyr Ginghams, 20c yard.
35c 38-inch Printed Voiles, 25c yard.
38c 42-inch Plain Voiles, 25c yard.
50c Novelty Voiles, 35c yard.
58c 38-inch Plain Voiles, 25c yard.
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Dress Department.

1 One-piece White Linen Dress, blue col-lar and cuffs; trimmed with large pearl but-tons; size 16. \$7.50. Was \$15.00.

I One-piece White Middy Dress, dark blue sailor collar, with red lacing; size 14. \$2.95. Was \$3.95.

I Girls' White Linen Dress, white guimpe; trimmed with pearl buttons; wide black velvet belt; size 14. \$5.00. Was \$10.00.

I Sport Skirt, tan and rose stripe; full skirt and pockets. \$1.50. Was \$5.00. 18 Girls' Gingham and Chambray Dresses, light and dark colors; sizes 6, 8 and 10 years. \$1.75 each. Were \$2.50 and \$3.00.

Sweater Department.

Third Scor-G street.

t Heavy Ribbed Wool Sweater; white trimmed in blue; slightly soiled; size 36. \$7.50. Was \$10.00.

I Lavender and White Striped Wool Sweater; ve neck and sash; slightly soiled; size 42. \$6.75. was \$8.75.

r Brushed Wool Sweater, in white with black stripe; large pockets and roll collar; slightly soiled; size 42. \$10.00. Was \$12.75.

I Pink Brushed Wool Sweater, trimmed in Copenhagen; slightly soiled; size 44. \$6.75. Was \$8.75.

1 Light Blue Brushed Wool Sweater; trimmed in tan; roll collar and belted back; slightly soiled; size 40. \$7.50. Was \$0.50.

Friday Special in Sample Lingerie Blouses.

There are 6 dozen in all, representing one of our best manufacturer's samples. A number of beautiful styles, made with long sleeves and large, attractive collars.

Special price, \$1.15 each. Lingerie Blouses in tucked and lace-trimmed styles; long sleeves, high or low

\$3.95 each. Were \$5.00 \$2.95 each. Were \$3.95 \$1.95 each. Were \$2.95 Cotton Voile and Organdy Blouses; long

and three-quarter sleeves. \$1.00 each. Were \$1.95 and \$2.95. Third foor-G street.

> Friday Special in Crepe de Chine Blouses.

These are taken from our own stock and represent unusual values. They are made with long sleeves and large, pretty collars; in flesh and white and in several styles, including plain as well as frilled effects. All sizes in the as-

Reduced to \$1.95 each. Were \$3.25.

A lot of Georgette Crepe and Crepe Waists, with long sleeves and large collars; flesh and white. \$3.95 each. Were \$5.75.

A few Crepe de Chine and Jap Silk Blouses, in black and white; long sleeves and flat collars. \$2.95 each. Were \$3.95.

Friday Sale of 55 Dozen Odd Plates.

In some instances there are several dozen plates of same pattern; in others only one or two odd plates. It is a final clearance of every plate that cannot be duplicated in pat-

Fine grades of Porcelain, Allerton's English Bone China and some handsome designs from well-known factories in Limoges, France, are included in this sale.

25 dozen Breakfast and Tea Plates, imported and American porcelain; floral and border patterns. Clearance price,

10c each; \$1.20 dozen. to dozen Breakfast Plates, conventional Clearance price,

18c each; \$2 dezen. 10 dozen Luncheon and Breakfast Plates, fine imported china, spray and border deco-

> Clearance price, 25c each; \$2.50 dozen.

to dozen Richly Decorated Imported China Plates, various sizes and designs.

Clearance price, 30c each; \$3.50 dozen. Fifth foor-G street.

Victrola Department.

1 Mahogany "Pooley" Record Cabinet, \$18.00. Reduced from \$28.00.

 Mahogany Record Cabinets, \$11.50
 each. Reduced from \$17.50. 1 Oak Record Cabinet, \$11.50. Reduced from \$16.50. Fourth Soor-Eleventh street

Baby Carriage Department.

I White Enamel Pullman Sleeper; equipped with sanitary removable cushion; \$25.00. Was \$40.00. 1 Folding Go-Cart; slightly imperfect; \$4.95. Was \$6.75. Fourth foot-Biornith street.

Housefurnishing Dept.

1 lot Zapp Washing Powder, Se cock.

1 lot Wrigley's Scouring Powder, 2 for Sc 1 lot Acme Lime, &c sach. Was 12c.

1 lot The Luster Box Polish, Sc each, I lot Acme Lye, 6c each. Was 10c.

1 lot Daisy Lye, 6c each. Was 8c. 1 lot Nickel Rim Glass Inset Coasters, 10c each. Were 25c.

I lot Brass Metal Polish, 16c each. Was 1 lot Brass Metal Polish, 15c each. Was

Outing Goods Dept.

I Khaki Couch Hammock; best reinforced steel springs; patent head rest. \$7.75. Was \$10.00.

3 Wizzer Cars; splendid exercisers for the children. 95c each. Were \$2.00.

I Child's "Helen Spree" Chair; ivory fin-ish; slightly soiled. \$1.95. Was \$6.00. r Child's Table; white enamel, round top. Was \$3.00.

I Automobile, rubber tires, two lights in front. \$7.95. Was \$18.00.

I High-grade Automobile, large rubber-tired wheels, mud guard and cushion seat. \$15.00. Was \$40.00.

Misses' Department.

2 Evening Dresses; one blue, one white. These are of dainty Tulle over Silver Cloth. Slightly mussed; sizes 36 and 38. \$19.75 each.

I Green Taffeta Evening Dress; copy of a French model; a distinctive effect; size 36. \$19.75. Was \$37.50. r Afternoon or Dinner Dress, of cream lace and pink brocade; size 38. \$35.00.

I Afternoon Dress of gray charmeuse, with pretty touches of Copenhagen; size 38.

\$25.00. Was \$39.50. t Dress of cream net combined with rose; slightly soiled; size 36. \$8.75. Was \$25.00. Third floor-G street.

Infants' Department.

3 Children's White Cashmere Coats, made Empire style with turn-over collar and cuffs; pearl buttons. \$3.00 each. Were \$5.00.

3 Children's White Pique Coats; full skirts, with turn-over collar and cuffs; hand-embroidered sprays, pearl buttons. \$4.00 each. Were \$6.50.

2 Children's White Pique Hats; stitched brim; trimmed with band and bow. \$1.00 each. Were \$2.00.

4 Infants' White Lawn Caps; all hand-made, with fine tucks and lace edge, ribbon rosettes and ties. \$1.00 each. Were \$2.00. 2 Little Boys' White Percale Suits, trim-

with turn-over collar and cuffs of pink blue: straight pants. \$2.00 each. Were or blue; straight pants. \$2.00 each.

Book Department.

A few good books for young readers:

3 Copies Each. Witch Winnie at Shinnecock Witch Winnie in Venice

Witch Winnie in Spain

Witch Winnie in Versailles Witch Winnie in Holland Witch Winnie's Studio Witch Winnie's Mystery

Good type and paper. Were 60c each. Now 25c each. 40 Copies of

All by Eliz. Champnay. Illustrated.

The Rejuvenation of Mama and Papa Goose By M. H. Pancoast 66 full-page illustrations in colors.

Were \$1.35 each. New 50c each. 6 Copies A Book of Sweethearts. Decorated by Will Jenkins.

New 15c each.

5 Copies Lovely Woman. Pictured by Famous American Artists. Decorated by E. S. Crawford. All illustrated in colors. Slightly shopworn.

Were 60c. Now 15c. 8 English Bibles. 3 New Testaments. Episcopal Hymnals.

Traveling Goods Dept. I Canvas-covered 16 Trunk; size 36 fm.

At one-half former prices.

1 High-grade Wardrobe Trunk, used as a floor sample. \$45.00. Was \$50.00. I Steamer Wardrobe Trunk. \$17.75.

I Full-size Wardrobe Trunk. \$57.50.

Fourth Soor-Tenth street.

1 Men's Dustproof Bell Crank Lock Wardrobe Trunk. \$40.00. Was \$50.00.